

# OUR TOWN

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## First Game of New Half is Dropped to Ardmore

### Narberth Outhits Ardmore in Close Contest

On Saturday, July 15, Narberth traveled to Ardmore to start the second half of the Main Line League baseball and lost a very hard fought game by a score of 5-4. Hits usually win games but Narberth learnt that this is not always the case because they out-hit Ardmore by a large margin. Narberth found little trouble piling up base hits off Ryan's delivery, but they didn't happen to hit at the right time with the result that Ardmore romped away with the game.

Narberth got a fine start, scoring three times in the opening inning, but Ryan after that, tightened up with men on the bases and the scoring ceased.

First baseman McDermott of Ardmore, played the initial sack in Hal Chase style, making several brilliant catches and saving his infield mates a number of errors.

Narberth, Pa., July 15.—Narberth walloped Kenyockety Club 11 to 2. Heckel pitched fine ball, holding the visitors to three hits. Durbin's hitting featured.

#### KENYOCKETY

	r	h	e	a	e
Kappie 'k, 3b., p.	1	1	1	1	0
C. Evans, 2b.	1	0	0	1	0
W. Evans, ss.	0	0	3	4	3
Weaver, c.	1	7	1	1	1
Roberts, rf.	0	1	0	0	0
Noblitt, lb.	0	0	10	0	0
T. Noblitt, lf.	0	0	2	1	0
Parke, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
Crothers, p., 3b.	1	0	0	4	1
Totals	2	3	24	12	5

#### NARBERTH

	r	h	e	a	e
Dickie, ss.	1	1	1	1	1
Fleck, lf.	2	2	2	1	0
Davis, lb.	1	2	9	0	0
Durbin, 3b.	1	2	0	1	1
Humphries, 2b.	2	0	2	5	0
Powell, cf.	2	1	2	1	0
Burns, c.	1	3	8	2	0
B. Humphries, rf.	0	0	3	0	2
Heckel, p.	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	11	11	27	12	5

The prizes that were chanced off by the base ball club were won by the following.

1st Prize—\$10.00—Alex Shand.  
2nd Prize—\$5.00—Chas. Jenkins.  
3rd Prize—A box of cigars—Dan Lacy.

Each prize winner turned his prize over to the baseball club. The base ball club wishes to thank each and every one who took a chance.

### SHE'S HERE BECAUSE SHE'S "THERE"

Ruth Lloyd Kinney, the famous contralto proved such a tremendous success that the management has retained her for a second week, and takes this opportunity of thanking the many patrons for their kind appreciation.

In addition to Miss Kinney an attractive picture program has been arranged for the current week.

The cooling system in the new Ardmore Theatre has also proved a great success and gives this popular play house the distinction of being the coolest spot on the Main Line.

### NARBERTH MAN SOME ANGLER

What is believed to be the largest one-day catch from the surf at Ocean City this year was made Tuesday morning by Charles W. Malotte, of Narberth. Mr. Malotte pulled in five weakfish, averaging eight and a half pounds, the largest of the five weighing nine pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clafin have gone to Loon Lake, Roughby, Maine, for a month's stay.

### A REPLY

My Dear Betty:

It was just dear of you to invite me to the Union Twilight Meeting on last Sunday evening. I would not have missed it for anything. I shan't miss another one this summer. There is something so fascinating in meeting out of doors, the music sounds so sweet and God seems so real and near to us. Do you not think so Betty?

Miss Syn's message was wonderful and I went home with my American pride quite puffed up—and feeling in my heart a great thankfulness for our Liberty and Independence. 'Twas good to get her viewpoint of oriental problems and to hear her high hopes for her beloved Korea. But the one thing which impressed me most was her beautiful Christian spirit. Marcella Syn is a direct product of our missionary effort Betty. Isn't that encouraging? Wasn't the crowd fine? 275 I heard.

Lovingly,

MARGARET.

### DRUGGIST LEAVING NARBERTH

Lynn F. Stout, who has been Manager of the Main Line Drug Store, Narberth, for the past year, has accepted a position as traveling representative of Sharpe & Dahne, wholesale druggist of Baltimore.

Mr. Stout will make his home in Edisbury, Md. He leaves many friends in Narberth who wish him the best of luck in his new venture.

### NOTICE TO BOY SCOUTS

All Scouts of the Narberth Troop who intend to go to Camp Delmont with the troop for the week of July 29th, report at scout shack on Monday evening, July 24th, at 7.30 sharp for instructions.

FRED C. PATTEN,  
Scout Master.

### ASH COLLECTION

The regular ash collection for the month of July will be made during the week of July 24th. The Borough teams will begin on the North side Monday, and will adhere quite closely to the winter schedule of days.

Residents are urged to get their containers out in plenty of time, as this is the last ash collection until the latter part of August.

### AIN'T IT THE TRUTH

"Narberth!" shouted the brakeman.

And everybody on the next to the last car filed out of their seats and crowded into the aisle along with the several who had been standing. That is, everybody but a little girl and her mother who lived in Wynnewood or some other town between Narberth and Paoli. The child was plainly alarmed.

"What's the matter?" she said, turning quickly and catching her mother's arm.

"Nothing, Eleanor," said Mother. "Well, where are all the people going?" persisted the child.

"Home I suppose, this is Narberth," answered Mother.

"But we'll get awful lonely won't we?" added Eleanor.

"I don't think so," said Mother. "The conductor will come through the train after while and, maybe somebody'll get on at Ardmore."

### TEMPERAMENT

Isn't it funny the way news drops off in hot weather. This week we had a wild time with last minute copy.

The equivalent issue last year was skipped because of the lack of news, so the increase in quantity this year is pleasing. We do not intend to omit any numbers this summer.

All the gossips aren't at the shore. We have much more room now for frivolous news. Help us out.

Miss Ruth Haws was painfully bitten by a dog while attempting to rescue a pet Boston Terrier which had fackled a large Collie. Dr. S. Town immediately cauterized the wound.

## The FIRESIDE

Mrs. Harvey J. Miller and H. Wayne Miller have left for Asbury Park where they will spend the remainder of the summer. They will later be joined by Mr. Miller for a trip through New England, returning by way of Albany, N. Y.

Mrs. H. H. Cafferty, of Woodside Ave., spent last week-end in Washington, D. C., on a visit to a school chum.

Mr. H. R. Little, of Essex Ave., has gone to Sheffield, Mass., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh K. McCahill, of No. 21, Shirley Road, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. A. B. Gibblan and family have moved into their new home on Wynnewood Road.

Miss Alice Cox has just returned from a two weeks' trip in the western part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Davies and son Edward, of Merion Ave., motored to Point Pleasant on Thursday.

Mrs. Edward S. Haws and Miss Ruth Haws are on a motor trip for several days through Northern New Jersey and New York.

Miss Elsie Folwell has returned home from Linfield, Pa.

Mrs. J. Howard Wilson and Miss Elizabeth Wilson have left for Deer Island, Me., for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Walter S. Wells, of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Haws, of Dudley Ave., last week.

The Thimble Club met on Thursday, July 20th, at the home of Mrs. J. F. Purse, Elmwood Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cohie left today for a stay at their cottage at Seaside Park. They will be joined on Monday by their daughter, Miss Estelle Cohie and Miss Jane Laird, who will spend three weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and family have returned from a visit to Troy, N. Y.

Mrs. A. E. Wohler, of Narbrook Park, entertained at Luncheon on Saturday, July 15th. The guests present were Mrs. George A. Muhl, Mrs. Victor D. Abel, Mrs. Harry Fox and Mrs. K. W. McHose, all residents of the Park.

Mr. Clarence P. Fowler, of Elmwood Ave., recently entertained the victorious members of the Baseball Team of the firm of Messrs. Graham, Parsons and Co., Investment Bankers, Philadelphia, at a dinner given at his home. This team, a member of the Bankers' and Stock Brokers' Baseball League, has distinguished itself by winning for two consecutive years, the large silver trophy presented by Messrs. Drexel and Company, whereby it now becomes the permanent property of these successful exponents of the National Game.

May 1st, with its beauty-giving charms has nothing on a lovely hot July day when it comes to calling the fair sex early. At least not when there's a tennis court around the corner, and an interest in the game as keen as that displayed by the Misses Peg and Jess Ballingall last Tuesday morning. Six o'clock—or was it five?—G. M. sent the first ball over the net, and the peal of seven o'clock alarm bells called them to breakfast. It is hoped this bit of free advertising won't overwork the courts at such early hours.

## Public Meeting Approves School Board's Plan for \$150,000 Loan

### Architect Presents Plans for New 12 Room Structure. Is Badly Needed. Four Grades on Half Time

Plans for the much-needed enlargement of the Narberth Schools were presented to the voters of Narberth at a citizen's meeting held last Friday night in the School Auditorium.

Despite the bad weather, and the fact that many residents were away for the summer months, a good crowd assembled at the school, anxious to lend their advice and support to this, undoubtedly one of the biggest problems which has ever confronted the people of Narberth.

Mr. Ritter, Architect in charge of the designing of the new building, gave a very informative lecture on the features of the proposed plan. Complete plans of all floors and parts were shown. It is planned to reproduce this set of drawings in "Our Town" at an early date for the inspection of all residents.

The board had two alternatives, Mr. Ritter explained. They could build on the present athletic field, and secure playground facilities in another part of the Borough, or they could buy and condemn property in the direction of Montgomery Avenue.

The successful vote for the Play ground in February of this year released the property now used for a playground, and permitted the Board to go ahead with their plan without the great expense which would be incurred in the purchase and condemnation of improved property.

#### The New Facilities

The plan, therefore, is to erect the new plant adjacent to the present buildings. The new school accommodations, which, it is estimated, can be accomplished at a cost of \$150,000 will be provided for by a new building to the East of the present ones. The new building will be erected on Shand field, just beyond the present new building now occupied by the lower grades. This will contain four rooms on each floor, a total of eight rooms.

Between the present elementary building and the new structure will be built an auditorium, on the ground floor, as required by law, large enough to accommodate about 800 people. This will permit the entire school to assemble at one time if desired, and will, incidentally, provide Narberth with a much-needed addition, an auditorium adequate in size to accommodate the large crowds attending the concerts, plays, commencement, exercises, etc., always so overcrowded.

The floor of the auditorium will be provided in part with movable seats, so that the center of the floor will become the gymnasium. The present gymnasium, lacking sufficient balcony room, and too noisy for the classes overhead, will be converted into room for the rapidly growing Domestic Science department. Adjoining the auditorium, in the rear, will be placed four other rooms, making the entire new plant consist of twelve rooms, sufficient, it is hoped, to accommodate Narberth's growing child population for years to come.

The influence on the tax rate was explained by Mr. McCarter. He said that the expenditure of the \$150,000 necessary would increase the school taxes about 4 mills, which, he said, on the average householder's assessment of \$3,500.00 will mean an increase of from 12 to 15 dollars per year. One dollar per month to provide the new buildings.

A number of questions were asked by those present about the details of the drawings, which were explained by Mr. Ritter. Dr. O. J. Snyder was particularly anxious that especial attention be paid to matters of fresh air and sanitation, even if it required a slightly greater expenditure. "You can

float a loan for \$160,000 as well as for \$150,000," Dr. Snyder humorously remarked. "For when we get that high, we poor people are bewildered anyhow." The Board feels, however, that the loan can be kept within the bounds defined by the original estimate, for the new plans include excellent provisions for fresh air and sunlight.

Allusion was made to the troubles experienced in floating the loan authorizing the building of the last new unit. At that time some residents of the Borough were in favor of dividing the schools, and putting the primary department in the center of the town. The discussion on this question waxed so hot that the loan was defeated on two successive years, and the much-needed additions delayed thereby. After the smoke of discussion had cleared away, it was found that the present location is the real center of Narberth's population, in addition to being cool, high, away from the station and more open. The present location, it was finally agreed, is much the more sensible, and the loan was passed by a big majority.

#### Unanimous Approval

On this score, Dr. Harry M. Chalfant remarked that he gives a lot of credit for his good health to the fact that he had to walk two miles to school when he was a youngster. The greatest distance in Narberth is less than a mile, and the average but a few hundred yards. The releasing of the present playground had made it much easier to get matters in shape.

During the discussion, Mr. Harry Hayward moved that the meeting give a vote of approval of the new plans and of confidence in the School Board. Then followed considerable discussion on every conceivable subject but that of the motion. Finally the meeting was brought back to earth and the motion re-stated. The meeting voted unanimously in favor of the new plans, an expression of confidence which promises well for the future of the plan.

The necessity for immediate action was shown in statistics prepared by Principal George H. Wilson. The following figures of the growth of the school attendance were shown:

Year	New Pupils	Total	Sr. High
1915	68		
1916	63		
1917	87	468	71
1918	75	548	84
1919	88	566	91
1920	88	604	101
1921	91	647	111
*1922	90	661	116

#### \*Estimated

At the present time there are four grades on half time, and this number must be increased as enrollment increases unless immediate relief is found. The maximum capacity of the present 8-room elementary building is 320 pupils, and there are 437 in those grades.

A brief history of the rapid growth of the Narberth Schools might be interesting at this point.

When, in 1895, the borough of Narberth, Pennsylvania, was incorporated, it became necessary to organize a school district. An agreement was made whereby the school building, formerly belonging to Lower Merion but now within the borough limits, be purchased. The school affairs of the borough of Narberth began in the following manner:

#### Copy of Minutes

"Narberth, Pa., June 10, 1895, the first elected board of school directors of the borough of Narberth met for temporary organization this evening in the Land Office at the corner of

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OUR TOWN will gladly print any news about any subject which is of interest to Narberth folks. Copy is due on Tuesday of each week, at 6 P. M. Late copy received Wednesday evening will be printed only if space is still available.

SATURDAY, JULY 22, 1922

## EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS

Fire, 350.

Police, 1250.

## CONCERNING HOME TRADE

Back in the country districts there is an institution known as the General Store. Here the farmers from miles around may purchase anything from a plate of ice cream to a new plow; from a nursing bottle to a can of spaghetti. Often the store is not in a town, it is the entire town, and encounters little competition save that of the mail order houses.

Narberth is in a different situation. Here we are balanced delicately between the outskirts of Philadelphia, and the more or less open country. The adult male population, for the most part, empties into the City of Brotherly Love in the morning, and returns to the tennis courts and back-yard gardens in the afternoon. Much of our buying is done in the city, much trade that should go to Narberth merchants is lost through the real or apparent convenience of city buying.

This practice is justified neither by economy nor by convenience. Save in the matter of furniture, carpets, and a few other lines, Narberth is pretty well on the map in the matter of general merchandise. To pick a few subjects at random, we have a complete haberdashery, a delicatessen and a most adequate building material supply company. You can buy almost anything or have almost anything done in Narberth. If one takes the time to run down the long list of grocers, butchers, hardware merchants, fruit dealers, drug stores, tonsorial parlors, tailors, garages, and so on for a paragraph or so, one gets a real surprise. "My, how Narberth has grown," says the old timer. "How can the town support so many stores?" another wonders.

And thereby hangs a tale. For if the many overlapping stores are able to make a go of it under the present circumstances, what a big jump in prosperity would be noticed if more residents should make it a point to purchase the greater part of their needs within the Borough.

Every time a delivery wagon from out of town stops at your door, it is money leaving Narberth. Perhaps we have no equivalent industry; if not, then one's conscience is free. Perhaps our local dealer charges too much; if so, tell him about it, and show the comparison.

Nearly every resident has an enthusiastic love for Narberth and a real interest in her future. We have no factories—thank Goodness—to contribute to the general prosperity, but a wonderful opportunity for community development lies in getting more closely acquainted with the scope of the many Narberth business men.

The boomerang, you know—

## THE TOWER OF BABBLE

By Collum Righter

In a not-so-long-ago issue of the 'Steemed Public Ledger' (which we dearly love to compliment by terming 'our contemporary') appeared a communication writ by a male dweller in parts other than this, our succulent Borough, relating how in boyhood he invariably sought the seclusion of his mother's attic on Summer's hottest days; there, to devour Dr. Kane's famous volume on Arctic travel. In fact, so assiduously did he do this canny trick that soon the heat was forgotten as under the spell of the book he shivered and shook with the perpetually penetrating Polar cold of which the good Doctor wrote.

There is something to this. There really is. But howling aspistras Why seek an attic? Or again, why read Kane? Stay where you are and stick to Our Town. Swathe your figure in a well camouflaged overcoat concentrate on Hon. Earl Dolan's icy, green Ford for a few moments and then proceed complacently to absorb the following screed which we shall term: BRRR RRRRRR

Overhead, the deep, clear, impene- trable blue of a crisp January day, with brilliant sun accompanying. The ordinarily sharp defined lines of house, hedge-row and withered shrub have all taken on a mysterious softness during the night as a thick mantle of snow was laid gently over them. To make the more lasting his work, King Winter in early morning sent a glittering sheet of ice to cover all. And well it has. The great outdoors seems glass. Every tree enveloped from trunk base to topmost twig and bold North Wind travelling blusteringly among the branches as if to view the work of his Liege Lord, sets them all to swaying and bowing, sluggishly but gracefully withal, as tinkling icily against one another they sound him their welcome.

The clock in Saint Charles' tower chimes ten. We count each stroke of the bells. Their weird melody carolling toward us sharp and clear through the biting air, plays a brave processional as with well filled pipe we sally forth, bundled, mittened, and muffled 'gainst cold, to pick carefully a way over ice-coated paves toward the road itself—there, perhaps, to find more secure footing where the constant impact and grind of Weed chains on motor wheels has at least roughed its glassy surface to a point that spells safety in walking.

Toward us, around the bend, as we get on our way, comes a wagon from the village bake shop bearing its daily supply of loaves and buns for neighboring houses. Dobbin's hoofs make no sound approaching but the iron tired wheels of his burden play ever an eerie, whining, shrieking note as they roll over the broken ice with its pad of snow beneath. Bread-man, carrying a basket, whistles cheerily and gives us good-morning with the wave of a well gloved hand while dancing along by his horse's head in an effort to keep warm between visits from door to door.

On such a day the middle of the highway is indeed a good place to occupy. think we, trudging on puffing clouds of fragrant tobacco smoke about us and pondering the wonder of it all. Our peace of mind is soon disturbed however, as a shrill warning comes from the white quiet in rear. Turning, we spy a stalwart youngster bent in our direction lying flat on a sled in the posture known among the coasting fraternity as "belly bumping." We envy him his freedom and sport as he flies past, nearly upsetting us in so doing. Envy quickly makes way for pity a moment later when comes the rattle of a fast opened window in a nearby home from which a feminine voice shouts stentorian summons for Richard to cease his coasting and come in right away.

This Richard, we ask ourselves—has he overstepped the bounds of time allotted him for play—or what? The facts are never learned. As he comes by on his way to the source of the sport-sport voice, we note he seems by no means put out, but the rather, blows upon his fingers, smiles cheerily and volunteers that it was "some coast" which sets our mind at rest a bit,

particularly as we had conjured up the spectre of dire punishment in store for the brave little fellow. What flights imagination takes?

With the smile of Richard fresh in our mind, we meander on. Gray Stone Bridge spanning the brook that in warmer times flows, beside Old Road and washes mudily each avenue end giving upon it, seems polished marble in its stucco of snow and ice. We stand for a moment upon it and view the frozen water-way beneath. Old Road holds much of interest in Winter, we muse, and forthwith is the decision made to explore it. We choose the brook side and go merrily on, stopping ever and anon to examine some twig fallen from the added weight of ice about it or perhaps to view and admire the glass-encrusted evergreens that form a knee-high hedge along the wayside. A semblance of the Summer long past is borne to us in the sight of the ropes of an old swing hanging rigid in the old like strands of brown glass, from a high limb of a brave old elm that stands silent guard upon an expanse of snowy white not so long since velvet in green grass.

Once around the bend and the North Wind hurls against us in all his fury. Our eyes smart, our cheeks tingle with the cold. At each in-drawn breath our nostrils freeze together and with both mittened hands clasped about our pipe we puff and puff in a vain effort to convey some of its warmth to their numbed fingers. Cold, cold and still more cold greets us in the journey along the foot of the embankment toward Wynnewood. We call to mind the warm fireplace which we recently left. We imagine the leaping up of flames about blazing hickory logs and the yearning comes to us to go back again—but into the teeth of the Polar blast we go—

Golding it! The keys of our type-writer were getting so cold that it hurt to hit them. The perspiration that encircled our brow when we started this yarn was congealing into solid ice. We were virtually freezing to death and taking all of Narberth with us when who should amble into our sanctum but the 'Steemed Editor—hatless, coatless, collarless, suspenderless—sans everything almost but polite necessities plus a pair of black rimmed goggles.

And gasping with heat. Heat! Think of it. Gasping with heat with us skating along Wynnewood Avenue at the head of an army of freezing Column readers. Aw Heck! "There ain't no such thing" as flights of fancy. That is, Winter fancy. At least, not with Hon. Editor gradually melting into a literary pool about three feet to the left of us.

Preacher (solemnly)—"Rastus, do yo' take this here woman for better or for worse?"

Rastus (from the force of habit)—"Pahson, Ah shoots it all!"

## ARDMORE THEATRE

WEEK OF JULY 24

Monday and Tuesday  
"Conceit"

Harold Lloyd in  
"Among Those Present"

Ruth Lloyd Kinney, Contralto

Wednesday  
Double Bill  
"Angel of Crooked Street"

"Gleam o' Dawn"

Ruth Lloyd Kinney, Contralto

Thursday and Friday  
"Woman, Wake Up"

Ruth Lloyd Kinney, Contralto

Saturday  
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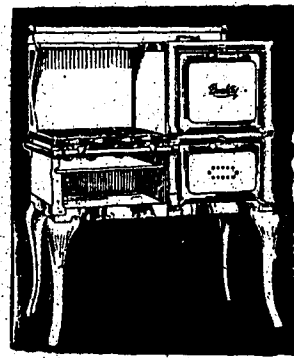
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### News of the Churches

#### THE OLD MERION FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE,

Montgomery Pike, Narberth, was established 1682. Here William Penn worshipped, as well as many other noted Friends. One of the historical spots of America is open for worship every First-day (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock.

First-day School closed during July and August.

#### ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday masses at 7 o'clock and 10 o'clock. On first and third Sundays the late Mass is a High Mass, followed by benediction.

Daily Mass at 8 A. M.

#### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister.

Meetings for next Sunday, July 23:  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School. All Departments.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon Theme: "Daring to be a Daniel."  
7:30—Union Twilight Meeting. Mr. Van Ness will preach on the theme: "Wanted—A Man."

Prayer Meeting next Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian Church with leader furnished by the Methodist Church.

#### NARBERTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Arthur S. Walls, D. D., Pastor.

Sunday, July 23:  
9:45 A. M.—Bible School.  
11:00 A. M.—Sermon by the pastor.  
7:30 P. M.—Union Twilight Service at 227 N. Narberth Ave. Sermon by Rev. John Van Ness.

Union Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening, July 26th, at the Presbyterian Church. Leader, Dr. Walls.

#### HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Dr. S. D. Daugherty, Acting Pastor.

Services Sunday morning in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.  
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Regular Service at 10:45 A. M.  
All are invited.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Rev. Avery S. Demmy, Pastor.

Services, Sunday, July 23, 1922:  
9:30 A. M.—Prayer Meeting.  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor. A special invitation is extended to the workers and children of the Holiday House. An object sermon will be given for the children.

7:30 P. M.—Union Open Air Service, on the lawn.

8:00 P. M.—Union Prayer Meeting in the Presbyterian Church.

You are invited to any or all of these services.

### New School

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Haverford and Essex avenues. Those present were Messrs. Jones, Bucher, Warner, Hunter and McCarter. On motion, Dr. Jones was chosen as temporary chairman, and Mr. McCarter temporary secretary. The president in a few well-chosen words thanked the members of the Board for the honor conferred upon him and before proceeding further with the business of the board he invoked the Divine Blessing upon the board and school. An interesting resolution was the following: Resolved that the secretary of our board be authorized to notify the Lower Merion High School of our organization and to indicate our readiness to assume charge of the school property of our borough at the expiration of the present school year.

The school was opened with one teacher, Miss Allie Plank; salary, \$600. There were thirty-seven pupils; but because one teacher would be responsible for all grades, the board passed the following resolution: "Resolved, that it is the sense of our board that the highest efficiency of our school demands the division of the grades, and

the employment of an assistant teacher." Miss Maud Moses was later elected to this position.

#### Enlargement of the School Building

During the next ten years the school had grown to the extent requiring seven teachers, hence in June, 1906, the school board advertised for bids for the enlargement of the school building. In the following year this building was completed. The addition consisted of three class rooms, an office, and a ladies' rest room, and a large auditorium. The entire plant now consisted of seven class rooms. Within a few years the building was crowded, and by 1913 the board took measures to enlarge the building. The board failed to authorize the necessary bonding of the district until 1916.

On July 15, of said year, a special election was held for the purpose of increasing the indebtedness of the School District of the Borough of Narberth, to the extent of \$58,000. This amount was to pay off a floating indebtedness, alter and renovate the old building (including installation of new heating system) and to erect a new building.

The plans agreed upon for the old building included two additional class rooms, additional lighting for the rooms of the original old building, new heating system, new toilet rooms and equipment. The new building was to be an elementary building erected on the school property immediately adjoining the old building. It was to consist of eight class rooms, a teacher's rest room, gymnasium. The alterations to the old building were completed for the opening of school in Sept. 1916, and the new building was thrown open Sept. 5, 1917.

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### WEEK OF JULY 24

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## OUR TOWN



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By Amy A. Bull

To promote the general welfare of current literature among Narberth readers, there will appear each week a short but pithy review of a book that cannot be obtained at the Narberth Community Library. This week the bell rings with:

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But recently about to be elevated to the Peerage from the steeple, Pete Binks, a former American bartender who journeys to England and amasses millions of pounds through the sale of his self-starting hang-starter, is commanded to appear at Court to be dubbed a Knight. The author dwells at great length upon the dissimilarity of dubs and Knights, and vice-versa. Binks is wholly reliant and dependant upon Hankins, his valet, to see that he is properly "got up" for the occasion. The mysterious disappearance of Hankins just as he is about to pour Binks into his silken court breeches, the horrible mental strain under which Binks labors as there looms before him the awesome spectre of the possibility of his lost valet costing him his Knighthood are told in Mrs. Ferould's inimitable way. The author's study of the British system of dubbing is altogether side by side with H. G. Wells' "Outline of Mystery" in its exquisite delineation. The likewise mysterious re-appearance of Hankins at just the proper time to breech his master and make him safe for presentation is indeed the milk in this deliciously humorous concoction. Your reviewer predicts unprecedented success for this most recent product of Mrs. Ferould's Corona.

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JUNE 30, 1922

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Investments ..... \$4,417,893.47	Capital Stock ..... \$ 500,000.00
Banking House and Other Real Estate ..... 221,446.83	Surplus and Undivided Profits .... 492,404.96
Cash on Hand in Bank ..... 483,990.46	Deposits ..... 4,003,535.57
Other Resources .. 10,911.64	Commercial Paper Sold ..... 138,301.87
<b>\$5,314,242.40</b>	<b>\$5,134,242.40</b>

Number of Depositors—Active.....	5,937	
Saving Fund .....	6,979	12,916
Amount of Deposits, June 30, 1921 .....	\$3,005,012.67	
June 30, 1922 .....	4,003,535.57	
Trust Funds .....	\$390,550.59	

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- ACCOUNTANTS**  
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Donahue, Patrick F. Phone 1033. See display advertisement in this issue.
- BAKERY**  
White's Sweet Shop. Opposite Station. See display advertisement in this issue.
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Merion Title & Trust Co. Phone, Narberth 398. See display advertisement in this issue.
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Bottoms, Geo. W. Phone, Narberth 1256-W. See display advertisement in this issue.  
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Shand, Alex. C. Jr. Phone No. 1710. Narberth Station.  
Smedley, Wm. D. & H. T. Phone 600. See display advertisement in this issue.
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Davis, H. E. Phone 1254-W. See display advertisement in this issue.
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Jenkins, Chas. L. 103 Dudley Ave. Phone 1084.
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Simpson, Harry A. 232 Essex Ave. Phone Narberth 636.  
Tyson, Warren R. 200 Woodbine Ave. Phone Narberth 1202-W.
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Fenton, Carl E. 506 Essex av. Phone 638-W. Phila. add., 1631 Chestnut st. Spruce 7797.  
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Cook Bros. Phone 302-J. See display advertisement in this issue.  
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